

Abstract

The present invention provides a thermosetting liquid coating composition for an aluminum wheel comprising (A) a
5 hydroxy- and carboxy-containing acrylic resin having a hydroxyl
value of 90 to 150 mg KOH/g and an acid value of 1 to 30 mg KOH/g,
the acrylic resin being obtained by copolymerizing a monomer
mixture comprising 10 to 50 wt.% of a C₆₋₁₈ alkyl ester of
(meth)acrylic acid, 8 to 40 wt.% of a secondary hydroxy-
10 containing unsaturated monomer, and a carboxy-containing
unsaturated monomer; and (B) an amino resin. Also provided a
method of coating an aluminum wheel using the composition.